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## VOLUNTOWN WOMAN GETS DIVORCE

Marie Davis Freed from Alfred G. Davis, Formerly of Norwich, on Ground of Desertion—Mystic Valley Water Company Gets Judgment in Right of Way Controversy.

At the short calendar session of the superior court in this city Marie Davis of Voluntown was granted a divorce from Alfred G. Davis, formerly of this city now believed to be a resident of Pawtucket, R. I. The decree was granted by Judge Joel H. Reed, who occupied the bench during the session.

The plaintiff was Marie Bowray before her marriage with Alfred G. Davis. The date of marriage was January 1, 1911, and he deserted Dec. 23, 1913.

The divorce was granted on the ground of desertion and the plaintiff was allowed to resume her maiden name.

Judgment was granted in the case of the Mystic Valley Water Co. vs. M. Helen Townsend and Henry C. Townsend, both of Stonington. This case was a controversy over a right of way across land in Stonington.

The complaint was to the effect that the defendants by their warranty deed dated Aug. 17, conveyed to the plaintiff a tract of land, reserving, however, in the deed to themselves, their heirs and assigns a right of passing and repassing across the west end of the premises to and from the old Mystic road.

The right to pass and repass over

the land by the west end of the premises is not set forth in the deed in express terms, but the right so reserved was for a use of so much of the use of so much of the land as would be reasonably necessary for the defendants. On divers days from the date of the deed the defendants have unlawfully entered the land other than the portion reserved for their use and have trodden down and destroyed the grass, flowers and vegetables thereby causing great loss and damage to the plaintiff.

The plaintiff claimed an injunction restricting the defendants to the use of the land set aside for them for passing and repassing from the old Mystic road to other land owned by the defendants. They also claimed \$1,000 damages.

The judgment per stipulation was to the effect that the defendants be enjoined each under a penalty of \$1000 against any further use of the tract of land owned by the plaintiff and described in paragraph 1 of the complaint, except a reasonable portion of the land from which the defendants reserved the right to pass and repass with teams and other conveyances or on foot but for no other purpose. The plaintiff was also allowed to recover costs from the defendants.

### AUTO VICTIM ASKS DAMAGES OF \$10,000

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis Claims Ledyard Driver Was Not Licensed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis of Mystic has brought suit against Horace and Phoebe Main of Ledyard for injuries received in an automobile accident a few days ago. She asks \$10,000 damages.

The plaintiff alleges that on May 19 she was boarding a trolley car which was standing in front of the post office when an automobile owned by the defendants and driven by their son, Horace Main, approached and struck her. At the time she had her left foot on the running board of the car and the right foot was on the ground.

Mrs. Ellis claims that the driver of the car was incompetent and an improper person to be driving a car inasmuch as the boy is under 18 years of age and an unlicensed driver. It is also alleged that he was negligent in not stopping the automobile ten feet from the car as provided by the automobile laws.

The plaintiff alleged that the automobile struck her with great violence and that she was dragged along many feet as a result of which she suffered numerous bruises and other injuries about her limbs and body.

Papers in the sum were served by Deputy Sheriff J. H. Tubbs and are returnable to the superior court the first Tuesday in July.

### Falls Co. Exhibit Removed.

Men under direction of Overseer G. M. Warwick were busy Friday removing from one of the stores in the Thayer building the fine exhibit made by the Falls company during Merchants' week.

This exhibit, which has been viewed and admired by thousands, included cotton in the bagging from picker, silver from card, roving from spinner, yarn for warp, yarn for filling and the handsome finished goods.

At next month upon a plea of not guilty. Not guilty pleas were entered by the T. A. Scott company of New London for dumping sand in Shaw's Cove, the East Side Coal company of Bridgeport for building a projecting bulkhead and the New Haven railroad for failure to open a drawbridge and continuances were granted.

Francis G. Zirch of Stonington, charged with failure to cancel an internal revenue stamp on a pack of liquor, pleaded not guilty and had the case continued.

Jerome Phoebe, a letter carrier of New Haven, for stealing letters, was fined \$50 without costs on each of five counts.

Several warrants had not been returned and information as to the persons sought was not revealed.

### BAS CLEF CLOSÉS

ITS SIXTH SEASON.

New York Contralto Assists in Well Balanced Programme at Slater Hall.

The Bas Clef closed its sixth season on Friday evening with a most successful concert at Slater Hall. There was a large attendance and the audience fully appreciated the excellent work shown by the club and were charmed with the assisting Mrs. Marie Alcock, contralto, of New York. The club showed a fine balance in its numbers and the results of six full seasons of training by the club. Mrs. Alcock, contralto, of New York, were apparent in the expressive rendering of each one. Mrs. Alcock, however, a full voice and much beauty and color, over which she had great control, and her songs added greatly to the evening's pleasure.

The programme was opened by the club with Duetty Buck's 'To the Field' To the Hunt, from the legend of Don Munio. Miss Annie L. Tarr accompanied by Kramer, written especially for her, and Gilbert's 'Oh! Love Bu! Day. Flowers and enthusiastic applause were given her, and she added the encore number My Laddie. The club then gave Kompan's With Lilies Sweet and Daffodils, Ward's Mister Sunshine, and Sullivan's 'Ho! Jolly Jenkin. They, too, were warmly applauded and were recalled for a repetition of the little song. Mrs. Alcock gave a dramatic rendering of Verdi's 'Oh! Don Fatale from Don Carlos. Her encore number was an equally skillful interpretation of Bonini's 'The Lullaby. The spirited Viking song by S. Cole, 'The Viking Song, given by the club, closed the first part of the programme.

In entirely different style was the next selection by the club, H. Waldo Warner's 'Wake, Miss Lindy. This touched an appreciative chord in the audience, who again called for a repetition. Mrs. Alcock gave a delightful group of old English and Scotch songs. There was the old English 'I've Been Roaming, Haase's 'A Syrian Love Song, the old Scotch 'Annie Laurie, and 'My Love's But a Lassie, and the encore. When the Kyrie Come Home. Two other old folksongs, the German 'Ring and the Rose and the Netherlands 'Prayer of Thanksgiving, were splendidly given by the club. The first was unaccompanied and the second given with a harmonium. The programme was an impressive ending the programme.

The members of the club are:

Charles D. Geer, director.  
First Tenors—G. Curtis Hull, E. J. Lynch, G. T. Mullen, Charles W. Pease, Thomas P. Sears, Raymond Sherman.  
Second Tenors—Frank Aubrey, W.

## Freckle-Face

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-Face to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from any druggist, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. There is more than one ounce needed for the worst case. Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Ham A. Buckingham, Oscar W. Carpenter, James J. Moore, Leonard C. Pringle, Richard P. Sullivan.

First basses—Traver Briscoe, Henry H. Frisbie, Charles D. Geer, George A. Goss, Jr., Robert C. Johnson, George A. Kramer, Archibald Macdonald, Archibald Mitchell, 4th, Reuben P. Potter, William H. Rush.

Second basses—Raymond V. Congdon, J. Dana Coit, Charles W. Day, Grosvener Ely, Thomas F. Erdman, Charles C. Gilderleeve, William F. Haddock, Chester L. Hussey, William A. Lund, John E. Vaughn.

Officers of the club: Grosvener Ely, president; John E. Vaughn, secretary; G. Curtis Hull, assistant secretary; James J. Moore, treasurer; Charles D. Geer, musical director.

Executive committee—Officers and Thomas F. Erdman and Oscar W. Carpenter.

Honorary members—Charles W. Gale, F. W. Lester, George A. Kies, W. F. Haddock, Frank L. Farrell, H. L. Harrington, E. F. Rose, Herbert T. Miller.

### ANNUAL CRADLE ROLL

OF PARK CHURCH

Nearly Forty Little People Enjoy a Pleasant Afternoon at Osgood Memorial.

The fifteenth annual cradle roll of the Park Congregational church was held in the Osgood Memorial on Friday afternoon. The parlors were well filled with the children and their older friends. Between 30 and 40 children enjoyed the play hour beginning at 3.30 p. m., after which a short program of missionary recitations by the children was conducted by the leaders, Mrs. Oliver L. Johnson. A few words of welcome by Mrs. Johnson and the singing of Father, We Thank Thee, by the children, were followed by Bible verses, telling about giving. Prayer by Rev. Dr. Rowe followed the recitation of verses by the children. The children were followed by the children, led by Allen Latham, Jr.

Miss Elizabeth F. Pullen in Chinese costume told the story of her life in China and how she came to know the missionaries. Certificates were given to four new members of the cradle roll: Eunice Ingalls, Richard Lewis, Jr., Sister Robbins and Irwin Trank.

Miss Annie E. Vaughn played for the flag march.

Suitable refreshments were served the small guests, who were seated at an inserted table and the social committee also provided afternoon tea for the older friends.

The committee were Miss Mary A. Avery, chairman, Miss Adeline Butts, Miss Alexandrine N. Trumbull, Mrs. George A. Watts, Mrs. Charles Tyler, and Mrs. Leonard W. Bacon.

Over \$12 was contributed for mission work in Y. P. C. U. in the mite boxes of the children. The following young ladies helped entertain the little ones: Misses Hazel L. Fletcher and Eleanor Norton. Miss Sarah L. Huntington, honorary superintendent of the primary department of the Sunday school was present.

### UNIVERSALIST YOUNG PEOPLE

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Miss Agnes K. Gebrath is Elected President and Mrs. Minnie Boon Vice President.

Miss Agnes K. Gebrath was elected president of the Y. P. C. U. of the Church of the Good Shepherd, at the annual business meeting held on the church Thursday evening. Reports of the year's activity were read. It was voted to pay the state and national per capita tax and to help the New Haven society in caring for the National Y. P. C. U. convention which meets in New Haven June 6-12, at which time 1000 delegates from all over the country are expected. The officers elected for the ensuing year follow:

President, Miss Agnes K. Gebrath; vice president, Mrs. Minnie Boon; secretary, J. J. Cobb; treasurer, Charles W. Parsons.

The president will announce next Sunday evening the various committees to serve for the year.

The meeting adjourned to June 18 when delegates to the national convention will be elected.

Those in charge of the recent food sales were Miss Georgia Fillmore, Miss Agnes Gebrath, Mrs. George Boon.

### N. F. A. AND WINDHAM

GIRLS DIVIDE PRIZE.

Miss Katherine Hulbert and Morris Smith Among Winners in Essay Contest.

Norwich school pupils made a fine showing in the award of essay prizes announced by the Colonial Dames of Connecticut at their annual meeting in New Haven this week. Miss Emily H. Whitney of New Haven, chairman of the state essay committee, announced among the winners: Miss Katherine Hulbert, Norwich Free Academy, divides first prize with Morris Smith, Windham High school, each receiving \$10; subject, The Work of Governor Trumbull's War Office at Lebanon. A certificate of merit was awarded David Merritt, Carlisle Broadway grammar school, Frances Ryshpan, Broadway grammar school, and Sarah Stamm, Mt. Pleasant grammar school.

### WILL ASSIST SEDGWICK

POST DECORATE GRAVES.

Sons of Veterans Make Assignments for City Cemeteries.

Sedgwick camp, No. 4, S. of V., has made the following assignments to assist Sedgwick post, No. 1, G. A. R., in the decoration of graves and of the placing of flags thereon on Memorial day:

Yantic cemetery—South end, Arthur L. Pease, Frederic W. Cary, Herbert B. Cary, Archie W. Leach, and Fred E. Tracy; north end, George A. Keppeler, Eben Learned, Henry Pease.

### DIED

GRANT—On Canterbury turnpike, Norwich town, C. W. Grant, aged 61 and 1 month.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

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**\$10.00 to \$12.98 Coats for \$8.50**

Here they are! Check Coats—Tan Coats—Navy Blue Coats—Black Coats—Tweed Coats. Coats for sport wear—Coats for motoring—Coats for dress wear—in fact Coats of all kinds, and for all purposes at the one little price. The models, weaves and colorings are all fresh and new, and we have them in both women's and misses' sizes.

**Children's Coats for \$4.75**

For children from 6 to 14 years of age these Coats will be of particular interest. We have taken all of them, in values up to \$7.00 and marked them to sell for \$4.75. Now is the time to invest. The lot includes plain weaves and fancy materials in a variety of colorings.

### COTTON BLOUSES

For a Dollar

These are smart style Blouses. All dressy and made of first rate fabrics, prettily trimmed and well made. Voids and fine lawn are the principal weaves. You can secure amazingly good style and value here for a dollar.

### SILK BLOUSE

For One Ninety-eight

A remarkably good selection of good White Crepe-de-Chine, Jap Silk and good Tub Silk Blouses with pretty stripes. They are all late models in both high and low neck effects. For the price the quality and style are both unusual. Buy one now and have a little dress-up week of your own.

### \$3.98 WOOL SWEATERS

For \$1.98

Here's a splendid Sweater bargain for women and misses. Pretty Sweaters in rose, Copenhagen, gray and white, mostly with turn-over collars and in values up to \$3.98.

## Rug and Drapery Specials

**\$1.25 SCRIM CURTAINS for 98c**

Pretty Scrim Curtains in white, cream or ecru. Some of them have an inserted band of light lace and some are finished with a fine lace edge. They are 2-1/2 yards long and worth \$1.25.

**SATURDAY SPECIAL 98c**

### CURTAIN SCRIM AND MAR-QUISSETTE

A White, Cream or Ecru Scrim and Marquisette with fine body and pretty hemstitched border. Both a yard wide and worth \$2.50 a yard.

**SATURDAY SPECIAL 17c**

### WASHABLE RAG RUGS for 98c

They are five feet long and 30 inches wide and actually worth \$1.25 each. They have them in all the desirable colorings and all have charming border effects. We also include some which are 27 by 54 inches in size.

**SATURDAY SPECIAL 98c**

### \$27.50 AND \$25.00 RUGS for \$19.98

Here's the big Rug bargain. Axminster Rugs in 9 by 12 or 12 by 8-3 by 10-6 designs: Sanford or Bigelow makes, all of them. The colorings and designs are very handsome. If you need a Carpet Size Rug here's your chance.

**SATURDAY SPECIAL \$19.98**

## FLAGS

FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Every home should have a Flag—the cost is little—you can buy the new Union Flags for 2c a dozen, and from that price up to the big Wool-bunting Flags, 5 by 12 feet, at \$3.50. You can find them at all prices in our Drapery Department.

### DEFIANCE

BUNTING FLAGS.

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4 by 6 feet.....\$1.75  
5 by 8 feet.....\$2.25

### SPECIAL FLAG OUTFIT

One 4 by 6 foot Flag with 8 foot Polished Pole and Reversible Holder. It is a Flag which will last for years and the outfit is worth \$2.00.

**Special \$1.69**



## A SPECIAL DISPLAY OF WHITE HATS FOR CHILDREN AND MISSES

Today we open a special display of extremely pretty White Hats for children and for misses. They are all late models and developed along the latest lines, and form a wonderfully attractive display of youthful millinery styles. With Memorial Day and graduation celebrations approaching this showing is doubly interesting.

## Women's Underwear of Quality FOR THE WARMER DAYS

A few values of interest for those who are looking for something that is really good as well as low in price. There is actual merit in every piece of this fine underwear.

### Gauze Cotton Union Suits for Women

Fine Ribbed Suits in a gauze weight for the warmer days. All low neck models, with lace shoulder strap and tight knee. Sizes 4 to 9. Regular dollar value.

**SPECIAL 75c**

### Lisle and Cotton Union Suits for Women

Low Neck and Sleeveless Suits with either lace or tight knee. Well-made and splendidly fitting suits for little money.

**COMMON SIZES 59c**

**EXTRA SIZES 65c**

### Light Weight Lisle Vests and Tights

The Vests are low neck and sleeveless, some with the new shoulder band, also short sleeves. A good light weight.

**SIZES 5 AND 6, 50c**

**SIZES 7 AND 9, 65c**

### Ribbed Vests and Drawers for Children

Summer weight underwear of good quality at a special price. The Vests have low neck and short sleeves and the Drawers are either lace or tight knee. Regular 25c value.

**SPECIAL 19c**

**The Reid & Hughes Co**

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**SUITS**

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**COATS**

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**COATS**

**\$10.00**

Values up to \$16.50

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City cemetery—William R. Balcom, William R. McCord, George Hildebrand, David F. Cushman.

Maplewood West Plain—A. O. Fairbanks, Henry G. Peck, James Kimball, John B. Oat, Bela Stetson, J. W. Curtis, Charles I. Rathbun.

Win in Typewriting Contest. In a typewriting contest held Thursday by over 30 schools of this section.

tion, Miss Gladys Hart of the Norwich Business college and Miss Ruth McGarry of the New London Business college won second and third place, respectively.

**FIFTH COMPANY HELD INFANTRY DRILL.**

Sergeant Britton of New London inspected Work of the Evening.

The Fifth company held infantry drill at their weekly drill in the armory Friday evening. Sergeant Britton, U. S. A., of New London was present and inspected the work of the company.

Home From Motorcycle Trip. C. V. Pendleton, Jr., has returned from a motorcycle trip through New England. Mr. Pendleton went on the trip purpose to secure riders for the coming races and reports that he has succeeded in signing several fast

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